GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – A.P. Secretariat Service – Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government (P.S Line) – Adverse Remarks recorded in the ACRs of 2017-18, 2020-21 & 2021-22 – Expunge of Adverse Remarks – Orders – Issued

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GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SC.F) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.1741 Dated:29.08.2023

Read the following:

1. U.O.Note No.42/OP.A1/2028, Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens, dt 10.07.2018
2. Memo No.GAD01/96/SC.F/A3/2018, General Administration (SC.F) Department, dated 17.07.2018
3. Representation of Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government,P.E. Department, dt 21.07.2018
4. Memo No.GAD01/96/SC.F/A3/2018, General Administration (SC.F) Department, dated 10.01.2019
5. G.O. Rt.No. 107, General administration (SC.D) Department, dated 20.01.2020
6. Memo No. 540418/SC.F/A3/2022, General Administration (SC.F) Department, dated 26.10.2022
7. Representation of Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government, Department for W.C.D.A & S.A, dt 14.11.2022
8. U.O.Note No.WDC01/574189/2018/Prog.II/A2, Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens, dt 29.09.2022
9. Orders of Hon'ble High Court of A.P., dt 29.03.2023 in W.P.No. 19382 of 2020

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ORDER:

In the reference first read above, Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens have forwarded the ACR of Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government, for the period from 19.07.2017 to 15.12.2017 (2017-18). The Secretary to Government, Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens has recorded certain adverse comments against Column No 11 & 13 of the said ACR. In the reference second read above, the ACR for the year 2017-18 has been communicated to Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary for making representation, if any, against them. In the reference third read above, Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government has represented that the remarks in the column No. 11 should not have been recorded unless and until specific lapses committed and proved under proper enquiry. Further, against column No. 13, he has represented that the articles of charge is not even communicated to him till date and the assumptions and presumptions have not been recorded in ACR and requested to expunge the adverse remarks. The individual was informed that the request to expunge the adverse remarks in the ACR for the period 2017-18 (from 19.07.2017 to 15.12.2017) will be examined after disposal of disciplinary case against him, vide reference fourth read above.

2. In the reference sixth read above, the Annual Confidential Reports from 01.07.2020 to 31.03.2021 (ACR 2020-21) and from 01.04.2021 to 31.12.2021 (ACR 2021-22) in respect of V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government, Dept. for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens has been communicated for making a representation against the adverse remarks recorded by the HoD in the said ACRs. The individual in his representation seventh read above, has stated that the Principal Secretary, Department for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens has knowingly written the Adverse Remarks despite of enquiry report submitted by the ICC to GAD, which is highly untenable. Further stated that, the Hon'ble High court of A.P. closed the W.P.No. 26780 filed by him and in view of enquiry report submitted by the ICC, the individual has requested to expunge the adverse remarks.

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3. The Hon'ble High Court of A.P. in its order dt 29.03.2023 in the in WP No 19382 of 2020 filed by Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government, have passed the orders allowing the WP and set aside the Memo dated 21.8.2020 and G.O. Rt No. 107 dt. 20.01.2020, and directed to take all required steps for promotion of the petitioner as Joint Secretary from the date of his eligibility on par with his juniors and all other promotions, if any, if he is otherwise eligible without observing punishment under GO Rt.No. 107 dt. 20.01.2020, within a period of 3 Months.

4. The Internal Complaints Committee, A.P. Secretariat after enquiring into the complaint of the Staff of Public Enterprises Department, has stated that the petitioners have withdrawn their petition in writing and requested the Committee no further inquiry is required. The ICC has recommended to the employer that no action is required to be taken in the matter.

5. After careful examination of the matter, Government observed that the recording of adverse remarks in the ACRs by the Secretary to Government & Principal Secretary to Government, Dept. for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens is not in accordance with the guidelines issued by the government on writing of ACRs. Therefore, hereby expunge the Adverse Remarks recorded in the ACR for the year 2017-18 (from 19.07.2017 to 15.12.2017), 2020-21 (from 01.07.2020 to 31.03.2021) and 2021-22 (From 01.04.2021 to 31.12.2021) in respect of Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Government, Dept. for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR. K.S. JAWAHAR REDDY
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri V. Srinivasulu Reddy, Deputy Secretary to Govt., (through the
Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens Dept.,)
The Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens (OP) Dept.
Copy to:
ACR dossier of the individual
Sc/Sfs.

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